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DARING ROBBERY.

Robbers Opened Safe Two Blocks From Portland Police Office.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 9.—In broad daylight about 7 o'clock this morning a safe in the office of the Danforth Tea Company, Second and Ankeny streets, two blocks from the police station, was picked after the night watchman had gone off duty.

The robbers took the \$150 in coin and currency they found in the safe, and went out the back door without leaving a clew of any kind behind them. The day catch was not set on the combination of the safe, and all the robbers had to do was to turn the handle about one-fifth of an inch, opening the outer door, and then pry open the inner door with a crowbar. The greatest care was taken not to leave a trace of the identity of the robbers.

LOSS IS HEAVY.

Business Portion of Washington Town Destroyed By Fire.

Spokane, Aug. 9.—A special to the Spokesman-Review from Brewster, Wash., says: "Fire yesterday destroyed the principal business portion of this town. Only two business houses were left standing.

The loss is about \$40,000, with a total insurance of \$63,000. Brewster is located on the Columbia river near the mouth of the Okanagan river. The fire originated in Dr. McKinley's drug store.

OUT OF JAIL.

Several Prisoners, Including Two Convicted Murderers, Make Their Escape.

Butte, Mont., Aug. 9.—Three men, two under sentence of death; a stage robber, wanted in Wyoming, and two highwaymen escaped from the Silver Bow county jail shortly after 6 o'clock this evening without any difficulty. The men who escaped are Charles Lenox and James Martin, convicted of murder; L. L. Fokker, who escaped once before and has been tried twice for the murder of William Cunningham, his brother-in-law, and has been tried twice for the murder of William Cunningham, his brother-in-law, and has been tried twice for the murder of William Cunningham, his brother-in-law.

POPE FAINTED DURING SERVICE

MANY CEREMONIES TELL ON HIS CONSTITUTION

Seized With Weakness During Mass, Which Was Attended by Three Hundred Venetians.

(Associated Press.)

Rome, Aug. 11.—Pope Pius X. had a fainting fit this morning while celebrating mass.

The Pope has been over-exerted to such an extent that his naturally strong constitution was unable to bear the strain put upon it by the coronation ceremonies. Such has been the effort upon his nerves, that he has been unable to sleep for whole nights, while numerous receptions yesterday made matters worse. Last night his Holiness also was very much agitated, still he insisted upon admitting this morning to hear his mass all Venetians who had journeyed to Rome purposely to attend the coronation.

They numbered about 300 when the mass began in the Pauline chapel, and the air was vitiated with the temperature about ninety degrees. Pope Pius was seen to grow paler, and paler, finally throwing out his hands as though seeking support. He would have fallen had not Mr. Bresson, his private chaplain, been quick to catch him. It is impossible to describe the confusion and alarm among the worshippers, while the Pope lay motionless and unconscious with his eyes closed. Fortunately among the Venetians present was Dr. Davena, who for nine years had been the Pope's attending physician at Venice, but had been called only once during that time to treat a sore throat. Dr. Davena gave the Pope immediate assistance, while the messengers telephoned for Dr. Lippini. The latter rushed to the Vatican, but did not arrive until after the Pope had been restored to consciousness and taken to his own apartments.

BUSINESS SESSIONS.
Subjects Discussed at Meetings of the International Typographical Union.

(Associated Press.)

Washington, Aug. 11.—When the delegates to the International Typographical Union met today the report of the committee on laws was presented. Among the changes recommended was a suggestion to make permanent the monthly assessment of 5 per cent per capita for a defense fund as provided by the Los Angeles convention. The subject aroused considerable debate, but ultimately was adopted.

There was also considerable discussion of a proposition to permit local unions to fix the time allowed to apprentices to learn the use of typesetting machines as three months. A substitute provided that no one who is not a member of the order shall be permitted to learn the use of the machines in union offices was lost, 72 to 94. A proposition to make the time for learning the machine was also voted down.

The report of the committee on this proposition was then adopted.

READY FOR THE FIGHT.

Corbett and Jeffries Said to Be in the Pink of Condition.

(Associated Press.)

San Francisco, Aug. 11.—While betting is rather quiet on the big fight about to come off between Corbett and Jeffries, the lack of interest in this respect is more than made up by the enthusiasm which is being developed all over the country in the coming contest. The sale of seats for the contest will be one of the greatest in the annals of pugilism in this city. The gate receipts, it is said, will amount to \$500,000, and it is expected that nearly a third of the audience will be made up of visitors from out of town. A party is being made up as far away as Philadelphia, and reservations made of a block of 20 seats.

Both men are now tapering off in their training. Corbett still does a fair amount of work, but it is principally limited to physical culture movements. At Harbin Springs, Jeffries is finishing up work, and he will arrive here on Thursday to enter the ring on Friday. Both men are said by experts to be in the pink of condition.

HAVE NOT GIVEN IN.

Russian Workmen as Firm as Ever in Their Original Demand—Minister's Scheme Failed.

(Associated Press.)

London, Aug. 11.—The Kieff, Russia, correspondent of the Times says: "A leading Russian employer estimates that the strike in Russia affected a half million men, and that the strength of the movement completely nonplussed the government authorities, especially Mr. Von Pilve, minister of the interior, whose attempt to play off labor against capital in order to weaken the Socialists party ended in his complete discomfiture, despite the ruthless use of rifles. On the whole the workmen are as firm as ever on the subject of their original demands."

ANXIOUS FOR PEACE.

Object of Association Which Has Been Formed in Japan.

(Associated Press.)

Tokio, Japan, Aug. 11.—A number of public men, including Prince Kan'oku, president of the House of Peers, and Count Itagaki, former minister of the interior, and Kuma, have formed a non-partisan association for the purpose of urging the government to invite Russia to terminate the causes of the present international complications and establish full guarantees of peace.

ANTI-REFORM MOVEMENT

Continues Threatening in China in Spite of the Dowager Empress's Edicts.

(Associated Press.)

Tientsin, Aug. 11.—The Dowager Empress is trying to remove the bad impression caused by the execution of Shen Shien, of the Reformist journal, who was put to death by her order on July 31st, by issuing popular edicts. The anti-reform movement, however, continues threatening, even in the case of Victor Chang Chih Tung, who remains hostile to Russian influence.

SAD AFFAIR AT KAMLOOPS.

Boy Shot Dead By a Seven-Year-Old Playmate.

(Associated Press.)

Kamloops, B. C., Aug. 11.—A case of leaving firearms where children may have access to them occurred here last night. Charlie Newman, a little fellow aged about seven years, got a revolver from the room of H. G. Ashby, who was loading with his mother, and loaded it, when little Willie Edmonds, a playmate, said "shoot it." Little Newman fired, the ball entering the forehead of Willie Edmonds, from the effects of which he died later in the evening.

ENGINEERS' NEW CHIEF.

W. E. Stone Elected as Head of the Brotherhood.

(Associated Press.)

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 11.—W. E. Stone, of Eldon, Iowa, division 181, has been elected to fill the unexpired term as Grand Chief Engineer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, made vacant by the death of P. M. Arthur and A. B. Youngson. After the election, the executive committee of the brotherhood said that no fear need be felt of any radical changes in the policy of the brotherhood, that the new grand chief will carry out the conservative policy advocated by the late Chief Arthur.

FARMERS' PROPOSAL.

United States Association Suggests a Great Union Between the Wheat Growing Countries.

(Associated Press.)

London, Aug. 11.—The Daily Mail prints a dispatch from Warsaw this morning, dated last Friday, which says that an American association, said to comprise 38,000 farmers, has addressed itself to the Russian ministers of finance and agriculture requesting their assistance in raising the current prices of agricultural products, particularly wheat, and saying that the association projects a great union between the wheat growing countries of the whole world for the purpose of fixing an annual minimum price. In view of M. Dewitte's abhorrence of trusts, the correspondent adds, it is doubtful whether he will accept the bait.

SEIZURE OF FISHING TUG.

Congressman Says It May Result in Complications Between Canada and United States.

(Associated Press.)

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 11.—The Commercial this afternoon says: "According to statements made this forenoon by Congressman D. S. Alexander, of Buffalo, there is every indication that there will be international complications between the government of the United States and the government of the Dominion of Canada as a result of the seizure, on July 3rd last, of the fishing tug Kittle D, of Dunkirk, N. Y., by the Canadian revenue cutter Petrel. The state department at Washington has just ordered Consul-General John G. Foster, at Ottawa, to lay the matter before the Canadian authorities once more."

"According to a communication received by Mr. Alexander from the state department there is so much disagreement in the evidence submitted by the Canadian authorities relative to the seizure, and that of the commander of the United States revenue cutter Petrel, and so very little evidence upon which the Canadian government can stand as to the location of the Kittle D at the time the boat was seized, that the state department deemed it imperative to instruct the consul-general as follows: 'You will again present the case to the Dominion authorities and ask for the release of the Kittle D in view of the strong proof, as set forth in evidence, that she was in American waters at the time she was seized.'"

"It is likely the seizure will result in international negotiations. This is so because Representative Alexander has suggested to the state department in the course of his correspondence that new rules and regulations should be agreed upon between the two countries so that when a seizure is made, a large buoy shall be anchored at the place in order that both the United States and the Dominion governments can determine exactly the point of seizure."

MORE THAN ONE HUNDRED KILLED

EIGHTY-FOUR BODIES TAKEN FROM TUNNEL

Volunteers Had Great Difficulty in Descending Paris Subway and Many Were Overcome.

(Associated Press.)

Paris, Aug. 11.—Eighty-four bodies have been recovered and the death list probably will exceed one hundred in the underground railway disaster which occurred here last night.

The accident, which occurred on the Metropolitan Electric Railway, assumed terrible proportions early this morning. More than four-score of bodies of the burned and suffocated victims were recovered from the subterranean passage. The work continues and indications are that the death list will no doubt exceed five scores.

The scenes at the mouth of the tunnel where the victims were brought were of the most heartrending description. Crowds of weeping men, women and children, struggled forward in an effort to recognize their missing relatives and friends. Most of the victims are from the middle and working classes, as the trains were carrying them home from their work.

Although the accident occurred at 8 o'clock last evening, the officials and firemen were unable until early this morning to descend into the tunnel owing to the blinding clouds of smoke from the burning trains. Frequent attempts were made by heroic volunteers whom it was necessary to rescue, half suffocated, and carried away to the hospitals.

At ten minutes after three Sergeant Ahrens, wearing a respirator, succeeded in making the descent. He remained seven minutes and brought the first information to the effect that corpses were strewn all about the roadway of the tunnel. Then he collapsed and was taken to the hospital. Twenty minutes later firemen forced their way down through the tunnel station at Montmartre and returned soon afterwards with the seven bodies, two men, two boys and three women. These persons had been asphyxiated, as their positions showed they had been groping through the smoke that filled the tunnel, seeking a way to escape when they were overcome.

The work of bringing up the bodies went on steadily after that, under the direction of prefect of police Lepine, who summoned a large reserve force to hold back the crowd, including the relatives of the victims.

Long lines of ambulances were brought into requisition and the bodies were carried to the morgue and the nearby military barracks.

After daylight the crowds at the entrances to the tunnel increased to enormous proportions, obliging the police to form a solid cordon through which were admitted only those seeking to identify their relatives among the victims.

The failure of many men, women and children to return home during the night gave many the first news of the catastrophe. Fathers and mothers came hurrying to the mouth of the tunnel to try and find the absent ones. At the second descent the firemen found a great number of bodies massed near the ticket office of the station, where many had evidently been overcome while seeking tickets. One woman had fled within the ticket office, where her body was found; the ticket seller escaped.

At the station of Les Charonnes, the same scenes of death and despair had been enacted. The accident occurred midway between the stations of Montmartre and Les Charonnes, so that the work of salvage proceeded from both ends of the tunnel. In addition to the blinding smoke the tunnel belched forth a terrific heat as one of the trains slowly burned within. The firemen succeeded in throwing several streams of water in the direction of the wreck, while some firemen and military engineers pushed on inside the tunnel. They brought out two bodies and soon afterwards three more. The latter were laborers who had almost succeeded in reaching the exit when they were overcome and suffocated. Further on the firemen stumbled upon a mass of bodies. These were the passengers of the burned train. They had fled from the coaches when the fire broke out and, groping through the suffocating clouds of smoke, sought the exit at Les Charonnes station.

But the tunnel makes a sharp turn near the scene of the disaster, and at this point the entire mass of humanity apparently became tightly wedged. A large force of doctors was summoned. The number of corpses brought up from the angle where the mass was wedged was so large that four and eight bodies were placed in each ambulance. Many of the victims had handkerchiefs stuffed in their mouths, they having evidently tried to keep out the asphyxiating smoke. The faces of the dead were red and congested. As the firemen brought out the bodies, agonizing screams went up from the wives and children who recognized their dead husbands and fathers.

About 7 a.m. the bodies of ten women were brought out at once. They had evidently been together in the female compartment and had sought to escape in company when they were overcome. The bodies of two little girls and three

infants were found with them clinging to their mothers. Many poor people claimed the bodies of their children and relatives and tried to take them home but the police gently but firmly insisted on the bodies being taken to the morgue and barracks in order that the magnitude of the catastrophe might be determined. The president of the municipal council announced that the city of Paris would bear the entire expense of funerals of victims.

PROVES PROFITABLE.

The Canadian Exhibit at Osaka, Japan, Will Greatly Assist the Exporters.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Aug. 11.—From correspondence received by the Dominion exhibition commissioner, Mr. William Hutchison, it appears that the exhibit which Canada sent to the fair at Osaka has greatly aroused the envy of the American consuls in Japan, who have written to his government saying that the exhibit stands in marked contrast to the inactivity of the United States government. He says that one of the principal features is the rush by the Japanese each day to secure Canadian bread. He also says that there is no doubt as to the future demand for Canadian flour.

NEW YORKER MURDERED.

(Associated Press.)

New Orleans, La., Aug. 11.—M. Lippmann, of New York, was assassinated in Honduras on July 28th last. Mr. Lippmann, whose New York address was No. 17 East 95th street, owned several plantations in Honduras. He was living on one of these at the time he was murdered. The news was brought to this city by his partner, who arrived here last evening.

MR. A. G. BLAIR ON NATIONAL HIGHWAY

Says There is No Demand From British Columbia for Transcontinental Road.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Aug. 11.—A. G. Blair spoke in the House this morning on the resolutions for the national transcontinental railway. He severely criticised the measure, and said that it was undertaken with undue haste.

At the start he denied that Sir Wilfrid Laurier asked him to remain quietly in the government, while at the same time feeling hostile to the railway policy. That was not true. He would favor a national line, but the one proposed was not such. As said the Premier stated that time would not wait. He then asked if Senator Cox would not wait. If parliament did not want to wait the country did. The work, in the opinion of Mr. Blair, was a case of hysteria, as he would not say that any of his colleagues were actuated by other than worthy motives.

Mr. Blair then took up the Premier's statement about the road being necessary for bonding privileges. That was not so. Canada has already two roads, one a government line, which left it independent of bonding privileges, but the United States government knew that the bonding privileges were just as beneficial to them as to Canada. He characterized this as a frenzied appeal to the people because no better argument could be found. He was loath to declare the people of Canada were at the mercy of the United States. He declared that the contract had to be adapted in full or rejected. He said there was no cry for a transcontinental railway from British Columbia, or any of the other provinces. He ridiculed the idea of other lines being able to utilize the government section. The government ought to own and operate it.

STORY CONTRADICTION.

(Associated Press.)

London, Aug. 11.—George Dunlap Leslie, a landscape painter who is a member of the Royal Academy, prints a letter in the Times this morning in which he refutes the statement that the Royal academy ever despised or rejected the late Wm. McNeill Whistler or his pictures.

Mr. Leslie says: "It may not be generally known that although the council of the academy have special rules and restrictions against the admission of the works of foreigners, they never apply them to American artists."

THE N. P. A. A. MEET.

W. F. Burton Selected as Referee—Number of Judges Increased.

A largely attended meeting of the committee having in hand the arrangements for the N. P. A. A. meet, which will be held on Saturday next, was held last night, when the time for making entries was extended until today, in order to allow those from Portland, Ore., to be included. Fifteen athletes are expected to take part from the latter city. Among other business was that of completing the list of officials. W. F. Burton was selected as referee, and Messrs. E. C. Hayward and Harvey Combe were added to the list of judges. Messrs. Shalleross and Anderson were appointed assistant judges. The actions of the officials in reducing the admission fee to 25 cents entrance and an additional 25 cents for the grand stand was ratified by the committee. The prize committee reported generous support from the citizens. On Wednesday evening at 8:30 another meeting of the committee will be held to put finishing touches to the preparations.

MEETING TURNED IN LIBERAL'S FAVOR

MR. CLIFFORD FAILED TO MEET CHARGES

Strength Displayed by Mr. P. Herman Caused Surprise and Disconcerted the Ministers.

(Special to the Times.)

Port Eslington, Aug. 5.—The political pot is now boiling merrily here. Yesterday the steamer Tees arrived from the north with the touring politicians on board, and last night a public meeting took place, and it was a meeting which will be memorable in the political annals of the town. Premier McKinnon, Attorney-General McPhillips and C. W. D. Clifford, the Conservative candidate in the riding, were present, and the meeting was held in the Conservative interest. Robert Cunningham occupied the chair, and Peter Herman, the Liberal candidate, was invited to a seat on the platform. The meeting was graced by the presence of numbers of the ladies of Eslington, and although there was not as large an attendance as might have been expected, that fact may be attributed to the thunderstorm that was prevailing, a storm of most unusual violence.

Mr. Cunningham opened the meeting with a pleasant little speech introducing Mr. Clifford. The Conservative candidate made a speech of the "jolly" order. His friends, whom he said he was glad to see present, he welcomed, and upon that record he was now again appealing for the support of the people in the approaching election. The Liberal was on the eve of an enormous expansion. The railway which would connect the Skeena directly with Eastern Canada was about to be built. The government of Canada had concluded a bargain with the Grand Trunk railway which would ensure the construction of the road within the shortest possible time. He paid a high tribute to the greatness of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the leader of the Liberal government of the Dominion, and concluded with an appeal on behalf of support to the Conservative party in British Columbia, and himself as the standard bearer of that party.

Mr. Herman, the Liberal candidate, was then called upon to address the meeting. It was the first occasion on which Mr. Herman had appeared on a political platform in a formal way, although for many years an ardent supporter of his party, and it was rather presumed and expected that his speech would be of the most formal nature. What then was the surprise and enthusiasm of the meeting when he began such a speech as has never been heard here before in the quality of a thoroughgoing attack on the deficiencies of his opponent. It was a revelation of power even to his friends. He took up the political record of Mr. Clifford from the beginning up to the present time, and by the citation of instance after instance, showed that his career had been one purely of self-seeking. Mr. Herman spared not the language that he used in denunciation of what he plainly called the "grafting" propensities of his opponent as shown in his political career. Mr. Clifford was challenged to defend his action regarding them. Mr. Herman said he was not there to impute corrupt motives to a fellow citizen of his country, but he would be looking to the quality of citizenship if perceiving these evidences of corruption he did not take the first opportunity of pointing them out. The clearness of the language that Mr. Herman used and the specific nature of the charges that he made against Mr. Clifford produced a sensation in the meeting that is indescribable. Mr. Herman's triumph was complete, and so complete was it that the speeches that followed were an apology for, rather than an assertion of the party doctrine of Conservatives.

Mr. Clifford was called upon at once, when Mr. Herman had taken his seat, to make a reply. He made a general denial, but he did not attempt to answer the specific charges that had been made, and sat down amidst a most expressive silence.

Attorney-General McPhillips followed, and although he made a short speech, he failed to suggest anything, except that there was something wanting. Hon. Mr. McBride was then called upon, and for an hour or so harangued the meeting. He was disconcerted, he apparently had not expected Peter Herman there, and he was therefore, unprepared to reply to him. He was utterly ignorant of the charges that had been made, and they were totally unexpected by him. What the people here were expecting from Mr. McBride was a statement of general policy, but his speech was diverted from that to a defence, and an ignorant one, as of course it must have been, of the Conservative candidate. There were questions asked, and undecided answers given. Thomas Turnbull and others asked questions, but without result.

Mr. Turnbull was called upon, and made a brief address, but so disgusted had the meeting got by the failure of getting any satisfying reply, that they got up and fled out of the room. During this time, however, a vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Cunningham, the chairman, to which he bowed his grateful acknowledgments.

As a general result it is a triumph for

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BLAMES TURKEY FOR OUTBREAK

FAILED TO MAKE GOOD HER PROMISES

Three Detachments of Turkish Troops Reported to Have Been Killed by Insurgents.

London, Aug. 10.—Mr. Balfour in the House of Commons today acknowledged the ill success of the efforts of Europe in the Macedonian question since the signing of the treaty of Berlin, but he thought the critics of European diplomacy should not forget the extraordinary complications and difficulties of the task. He was still hopeful that the plan recently designed by Russia and Austria would prove the best way of dealing with the problem. Between the outrages deliberately planned by the revolutionists and the license of the Turkish troops, the historical truth required him to say that the balance of the criminality lay rather with the revolutionists than with the Turks. Mr. Balfour said everything possible would be done to impress the Porte with the necessity of keeping its troops well in hand, and every assistance would be given to the Porte in carrying out that object. The British government's policy, concluded Mr. Balfour, was to aid Austria and Russia in introducing the elementary principles of sound government, which for the present constituted the best means of dealing with the deep-seated evil.

A dispatch from Constantinople says the Macedonian insurgents are concentrating between Philip and Dibra, for the purpose of interrupting the Turkish reinforcements from Old Serbia.

Provoked by Turkey.

London, Aug. 10.—The Times this morning prints a dispatch from Sofia which says it is believed the Turkish government provoked the present Macedonian rioting, for not only has Turkey failed to execute the promises made to the Bulgarian government for the amelioration of the condition of the Bulgarian Macedonia, but she has increased her persecutions and ill-treatment, thus inviting them. If the Turks should try now to suppress the rebellion by the massacre of innocent people, the Bulgarian government would be obliged to intervene.

Destroyed by Insurgents.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Aug. 10.—The representatives of the Macedonian revolutionary committee have published a statement saying that the number of insurgents in the district of Monastir is 8,000, and they are armed with rifles. It also states that on August 2nd 600 insurgents destroyed three detachments of Turkish troops, numbering altogether 100 and attacked the town of Kichevo, but failed to occupy it.

The insurgents, however, destroyed the Turkish village of Idroutovo, whose inhabitants had come to the assistance of the garrison of Kichevo. The statement further says that three Christian villages, Smalovo, Krouche and Bolno, near Monastir, have been completely destroyed by the Turkish troops.

To Re-establish Peace.

Rome, Aug. 10.—It is stated that there has been an exchange of views between the powers regarding the situation in Macedonia, and that apparently the powers have decided to support Russia in her efforts to re-establish peace.

Further Fighting.

Salonica, Aug. 10.—Further fighting occurred yesterday near Sorovich, the Turkish troops coming into collision at the village of Kailar with a large insurgent band.

Dismissed.

Salonica, Aug. 10.—The chief of the gendarmes at Salonica has been dismissed.

Will Be Tried.

Constantinople, Aug. 10.—The Veli of Monastir has been dismissed and Hussein Hilmi Pasha, formerly governor of Yemen, Arabia, has been appointed as his successor. An imperial decree orders a court-martial to assemble at Monastir to try the assassin of M. Rodzicki and

report on the responsibility of officials in the murder of the Russian consul.

Leader's Threat.

Vienna, Aug. 10.—Doris Sarafoff, the active leader of the Macedonian insurgents, has warned the directors of the Oriental railway not to sell passenger tickets, for all the railways, he says, will be destroyed.

Appeal.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Aug. 10.—The delegates here of the Macedonian committee addressed the following appeal to each of the representatives of the powers:

"Your Excellency: The delegates of the Macedonian committee have the honor to bring to your notice the following declaration with the request that you forward the same to your government. The Mussulmans' systematic persecution has compelled the Christians in Macedonia and in the village of Adrianople to institute a general rising. They have had recourse to this extreme measure after exhausting all pacific means to secure the provisions of the Berlin treaty. At the present moment this intervention is the only means of remedying the evil and stopping bloodshed, the sporadic efforts of the powers to secure reforms having failed. "Having published the foregoing facts to the civilized world and the powers, and made known the causes which have driven the Macedonians to despair, the committee of the Macedonians now in arms proposes to continue the fight until the affect of their uprising is attained."

CORDIAL WELCOME.

The International Typographical Union Holds Its Sessions at Washington.

Washington, Aug. 10.—The 48th session of the International Typographical Union opened here today. Chairman Whitehead, of the local committee on arrangements, presided. The session opened with prayers. Commissioner Macfarland delivered the address of welcome, followed by Prof. Willis Moore, chief of the weather bureau. Mr. Moore was at one time a printer. He spoke of the President of the United States as a friend of labor, and congratulated the convention upon that fact.

President Jas. M. Lynch responded to the welcoming address, and formally called the meeting to order. An adjournment was taken just before noon until tomorrow. The delegates were given an excursion on the Potomac.

Twenty-seven new double stars were detected at Capetown observatory last year.

GIRL WOMEN.

The general standard of measurement for womanhood is "grown-up-ness." When a girl is emancipated from school and arrives at the dignity of trailing skirts and elaborate hair dressing she is looked upon as a young woman.

But nature knows nothing of such standards. When the womanly function is established, womanhood is attained according to her standards, and there is need of womanly care and caution. It is girlish ignorance or neglect at this critical time which often results in long years of after misery.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cleanse the bowels and stimulate the sluggish liver.

HAVE A FORTUNE.

Two Lucky Men Refuse to Tell Where They Found Gold.

Baker City, Or., Aug. 9.—Will Osborn, aged 24 years, and Fred Jennings, aged 24 years, both young men from a farm near the little town of Eldorado, Iowa, are on board a train returning home with a fortune apiece.

When the O. R. & N. train pulled out of Baker City, for the East the two young men loaded a gold nugget into the passenger car with them, and the two were hardly able to handle it. It was in a large metal sack, and when they moved it along the platform one held one end and the other the opposite end of the sack.

They refused absolutely to tell from which direction they came into Baker City, or to disclose the region from whence they secured the find. They were well armed and placed the nugget at their feet after they had boarded the train. But little is known of the two young men in Baker City. They were seen here about three months ago. They had just come from an Iowa farm, and were wandering about the country, getting experience more than anything else. They had never heard of the gold fields of Eastern Oregon. One of them bought a map with statistics of the region. This was their only guide. How they got out into the country and their methods of their prospecting are unknown. They would not even say how or from what direction they came into Baker City. They attracted a great deal of attention on the platform with their burden.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Six Lives Lost by Capsizing of Boat—Former Manager of Loan Company Sentenced.

Winnipeg, Aug. 10.—A brakeman named William Lee was killed at Maple Creek last night. He was walking on a board between two trains, the board broke and at the same time one of the trains bolted and ran over him. He was instantly killed.

Coming to Coast.

General Manager McNicoll, of the C. P. R., arrived in Winnipeg from the east this afternoon. He was accompanied by Chief Engineer McHenry, Assistant General Manager Leonard and Superintendent Brady. Mr. McNicoll is on a general inspection of the road, which will continue right to the coast.

Thunderstorm.

Calgary, Aug. 10.—A heavy thunderstorm raged yesterday afternoon, with a wind blowing 50 to 60 miles per hour. One and two-third inches of rain fell in half an hour. Lightning struck the C. P. R. irrigation survey tent, burning it. Richard A. Lewis was badly shocked. H. B. Muckelstone was struck on the leg, and the other inmate, Maunday, was untouched. Lewis was brought to the hospital and Muckelstone to a hotel.

Suicide.

St. Thomas, Aug. 10.—Alex. Marshall, a well known and highly respected farmer living a mile west of Ayrmer, committed suicide by taking strychnine on Saturday. The cause of the deed is unknown. He was about fifty years old.

Sentence of Rowley.

George Rowley, late manager of the Elgin Loan Company, was sentenced by Judge Kramtznir this morning to twelve years in the Kingston penitentiary on each of three charges of forgery and theft, and seven years for perjury, all sentences to run consecutively. Rowley made a statement in which, in a voice broken by emotion, he told of his first false step and how he had got drawn into stock speculation.

Drowned.

Toronto, Aug. 10.—James Platt, fireman of the Richfield & Ontario Navigation Company's steamer Kingston, was drowned here yesterday. While waving adieu to the steamer Corona he lost his balance and fell into the water.

Found Dead.

James S. Locke, manager of the Imperial Trust Company, aged 62 years, was found dead in his room, Queen's park, Saturday, with a bullet wound in his right temple. He had undoubtedly committed suicide. Deceased had been in poor health lately, and it is said, lost heavily in the recent slump in the New York market. A widow and family survive him.

Postmaster Dead.

Ameliaburg, Ont., Aug. 10.—Owen Roblin, postmaster of this place, is dead, aged ninety-seven years. He had been postmaster since 1845, receiving his commission from Earl Lansdale, postmaster-general of England, there being no postmaster-general in Canada at that time.

Boat Capsized.

St. John, N.B., Aug. 10.—John Chambers, aged 20; Geo. Phillips, aged 15, both of St. George; Guy Henry, aged 15, and his brother, aged 12, of Calithness, were drowned in Magaguadavic river yesterday afternoon by the capsizing of their boat by a sudden squall.

Copper Head Island, Ont., Aug. 10.

Copper Head Island, Ont., Aug. 10.—Jack Hodgins and George Goer, both of Midland, were drowned off here Friday night by the upsetting of their boat by a fierce gale while they were returning with the mail from Sans Souci.

Bathing Fatality.

Saratoga, Aug. 10.—A young man named Wilkinson was drowned here yesterday while bathing.

Steamer Refloated.

Quebec, Aug. 10.—The steamship Holmea, lumber laden from Montreal, which went ashore at Point Riche, on the Newfoundland side of the Straits of Bell Isle, and which was expected to become a total loss, has been successfully floated, according to a report received by the government marine agent here.

DR. AGNEW'S CATARRHAL POWDER—Rev. W. H. Main, pastor of the Baptist Emmanuel Church, Buffalo, gives strong testimony for it and is a firm believer in Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. He has tried many kinds of remedies without avail. "After using Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder I was benefited at once," are his words. "It is a wonderful remedy, 50 cents." Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co., etc.

FIGHT WITH OUTLAWS.

One Instantly Killed and Another Has Succumbed to Wounds.

Washington, Aug. 10.—The commissioner of Indian affairs today received the following telegram from Agent Mische, in charge of the Osage Indian agency at Pawhuska, Oklahoma Territory:

"Officers Bennett, Haines and Majors, in a pitched battle with the outlaws yesterday evening, killed one and mortally wounded another. The third is still at large. Officer Haines was dangerously wounded."

Both Dead.

Guthrie, Oklahoma, Aug. 10.—The two members of the Martin gang of outlaws who engaged in a fight on Saturday with a posse of deputy sheriffs in the Osage Indian reservation, died today, and their bodies are being brought to this city. Deputy Marshal Haines, who was shot, is improving. The other members of the gang escaped, but are still being pursued. The gang has committed many depredations during the last few months.

FIRE DESTROYED WRECK.

Eighty-Two People Perish in Railway Disaster in Paris.

Paris, Aug. 11.—About 8 o'clock last night one of the trains which run on the five-minute schedule broke down at Menilmontant station, which is in a poor and populous section of the city. The train was promptly emptied, and the train which followed was ordered to push it to the repairing sheds. On the way these two trains caught fire, but the employees succeeded in escaping. Meanwhile a crowded train reached Les Charonnes, the preceding station, and the officials seeing smoke pouring out of the tunnel, gave the alarm. A panic ensued, the passengers struggling to escape from the station. Some attempted to return along the line towards Belleville, where the smoke was suffocating. About a half dozen of the passengers who were particularly suffocated were treated at a pharmacy near the station. The fire brigade was unable to enter the station or the tunnel owing to the dense smoke, until 3 o'clock this morning.

Eighty-Two Dead.

Paris, Aug. 11.—Eighty-two bodies have been recovered from the ruins of the trains which were destroyed by fire yesterday on the Metropolitan Electric railway. The total number of victims is estimated at 90.

SCENES IN COURT.

Madame Humbert Says the Presiding Judge is Prejudiced.

Paris, Aug. 10.—The trial of the Humberts was resumed this morning. Madame Theresa Humbert created several scenes, when M. Bonnet, the presiding judge, insisted on examining Frederic Humbert, her husband. Madame Theresa said, rising: "I demand to be heard. I am strong to-day and will explain where the millions are." The judge, however, proceeded, despite Madame Humbert's constant interruptions. Madame Theresa then exclaimed: "Monsieur, the president, you are clearly showing by your manner that you are against me. You should disguise your feelings and try to appear impartial." The judge ordered Madame Humbert to desist, but she again shouted: "You are continually showing your prejudice."

Frederic Humbert maintained that the operations of the insurance concern were conducted in good faith, and claimed that public prejudice aroused against the Humbert family brought the failure of the concern. He denied that the residence of the Humberts was connected by secret telephones.

Madame Theresa here also exclaimed: "Lies, more lies." Frederic Humbert said he had devoted most of his time to art and poetry, leaving the entire financial operations to his wife.

Romain Durigant testified that Madame Theresa commissioned him to trace the whereabouts of the Crawford brothers. Once, he said, he located the room occupied by Robert and Henry Crawford at a Paris hotel. Henry came to the door and accepted copies of some legal papers. The defendant denied ever impersonating the Crawfords or writing the letter. Madame Humbert here made another declamatory statement, protesting her complete innocence.

"I have tried to find the Crawfords and their millions," she said. "I have not succeeded in finding the money, but I have found the Crawfords. They have made a terrible revelation to me, and I have told Maitre Labori all. He knows the real name of the Crawfords; for they do not call themselves by the name of Crawford. No one will suffer any loss. I will pay every one. Perhaps the Crawfords may not appear, but they exist. It is only their name that does not exist."

The judge, interrupting her, asked: "Then where are the Crawfords?" "If the Crawfords do not come I will give their name, and that will suffice," replied Madame Theresa. "I have already told Maitre Labori that when the witnesses have been heard and the hearing is concluded I will tell all."

When the court intimated that the statement was vague, Maitre Labori answered that Madame Humbert engages herself to speak at the close of the hearing. The court then began the examination of the ninety witnesses called outside the family, which will occupy many days.

The repeal of the proclamation prohibiting the exportation of arms and ammunition to China is published in the London Gazette.

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Brewed from Bohemian Hops.
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ORO DENORO MINE.

R. H. Anderson Believes It Will Come to the Front Rapidly.

"The Oro Denoro mine has a bright future. With the careful initial management essential to the development of properties possessing large bodies of comparatively low grade ores, the Oro Denoro should attain at a comparatively early date the position of one of the important producers. When this juncture is reached, the mine will earn profits commensurate with the magnitude of its shipments, and this will benefit the entire district by affording a valuable object lesson. Incidentally it may be stated that large blocks of the stock are held by Rossland business men."

The foregoing, says the Rossland Miner, emanates from Robert H. Anderson, the new superintendent of the Le Roi mine, who is just severing his connection with the Oro Denoro company, where he was in charge for some months. "The company is making a step forward by acquiring a seven-drill compressor plant with which the development of the mine will be substantially expedited," continued Mr. Anderson. "The plant was purchased recently from the Iron Horse Company in this camp, and the boilers are now being re-tubed. It will be shipped in the next few days and set up at the Oro Denoro as rapidly as possible. Meantime the work at the mine is proceeding steadily by hand work. About 90 tons of ore is mined and shipped daily to the Boundary Falls smelter, and this output will be steadily increased after the installation of the compressor plant."

"The system of mining at the Oro Denoro is quarrying, as is the case at most of the big Boundary mines. Work is being prosecuted at the present time on two veins, which are described as the Magnetic and No. 1. The former carries a high percentage of iron and commands an especially low treatment rate for that reason. The No. 1 carries higher copper values with gold and silver. The Magnetic vein is 60 feet in width and the No. 1 is 75 feet wide. On both veins the surface capping has been stripped for a distance of 50 feet. Spurs from the Canadian Pacific run to both ledges, and mining operations consist of running the ore tracks to the foot of the hill, and loading the ore shot down from above. The work is proceeding under my supervision, with Fred Kutz as foreman."

"Seventeen men are engaged at the Oro Denoro just now, and this will be increased as soon as construction work is commenced on the compressor plant."

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Buffalo, Aug. 10.—This morning at 7:30 o'clock Kent Stow shot his wife, Pauline, dead in their bedroom at their home, 50 Richmond avenue, this city. Stow then turned the revolver against himself. The bullet crashed through his lower teeth and out the top of his head. He was removed to a hospital and lingered until early this evening. The tragedy occurred shortly after the pair arose. Mrs. Stow had nursed her daughter, six months old, while Stow was dressing. He then took the baby and carried it downstairs. He played with her awhile and gave her to his mother to hold. He then returned upstairs and entered the bedroom. His wife was sitting, partly dressed, with her back to the door. Stow shot her through the back of the head, killing her instantly. He then went to the bed and shot himself.

Stow's father and mother, alarmed by the shots, hurried upstairs and found the wife dead and the husband dying. Doctors were summoned and the police came. Stow was sent to a hospital. The married life of the pair, the parents declare, was happy. The family physician insists Stow was temporarily insane. He had suffered from malaria fever, six months old, while Stow was in spirit. Stow was 24 years old and his wife was 20.

Lever's Y-Z (Wide Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is a boon to any home. It disinfects and cleans at the same time.

The House of Lords has passed the sugar convention bill, which was adopted by the House of Commons last Thursday.

FOR SALE—Team of Mexican donkeys, thoroughly broken, harness and buggy, in good order, and all complete. Apply B. C. Market.

PIANO FOR SALE—Upright, by Collard & Collard, pretty case, sweet tone; owner leaving town; price \$120. Williams, 50 Clifford street, Calgary Bay road.

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LOST OR FOUND.

LOST—Last Saturday, on Carey road, near Wilkinson road, a lady's gold hunting case watch, initials engraved on one side, on other crescent set with diamonds. Reward on returning to "C," this office.

LOST—Between Dean & Hscocks and Saunders Grocery, lady's gold watch, purse, containing about \$75 in ten dollar bills and some silver; name and address on card in purse. Finder liberally rewarded at this office.

SOCIETIES.

REGULAR COMMUNICATION, Vancouver-Quadra, No. 2, A. P. & A. M., Wednesday, August 19th, at 7:30 p.m. R. B. McKimling, Secy.

COURT CARIBOO, No. 745, I. O. F. meets in Caledonia Hall, first floor, every day, at 8 p.m. each month. T. R. Dea, secretary, 58 Yates street.

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In yesterday's puzzle, by using the left side of the picture as base, the boy can be found near the lower right corner, his features being formed by the edge of the girl's skirt. By using the upper left corner as base, the squirrel is found in this corner, formed in the branches of the trees.

WANTED—One or two unfurnished rooms. Send replies 22 Kingston street.

PAPER BOX MAKERS—Experienced hands wanted. T. N. Hibben & Co., 28 Broad street.

WANTED—Boy, about 15, to drive grocery wagon and learn the business. Address "Grocer," Times office.

WANTED—A general servant; applications to be made between 9 and 12 in the morning. Apply to Mrs. A. A. Humbert, Rockland Ave.

WANTED—Carload of second-hand furniture. Highest cash prices paid by F. J. Hittacourt, auctioneer and commission agent. Phones: Office, 8535; Res., 8710.

WANTED—Copper, brass, steel, lead, rubber, tops, bottles, sacks, coal oil cans, scrap iron, etc. New and second-hand tools, furniture, etc., bought and sold. W. G. Eden, 125 Fort St.

WANTED—Chimney sweeping. Smoky chimneys cured, no mess; stove pipes, flues and chimneys from 25¢; all kinds of brick work, tiles or jobbing plumbers, etc.; furnaces and steam boilers made to consume their own smoke. 4 Broughton street.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria
Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 11.—5 a. m.—Rain has
fallen at Barkerville and Kamloops, and at
the last named place a thunderstorm
occurred. In summer weather prevails over
the entire North Pacific slope. East of the
Rockies a thunderstorm with heavy rain-
fall occurred at Calgary, and scattered
showers have fallen in the Territories and
Manitoba, but the weather in general is
fine and moderately warm.

Forecasts.
For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Wednesday.
Victoria and vicinity—Light or moderate
southerly winds, continued fine and warm
to-day and Wednesday.

Lower Mainland—Light or moderate
winds, continued fine and warm to-day and
Wednesday.

Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.00; temperature,
50; minimum, 50; wind, calm; weather,
clear.

New Westminster—Barometer, 29.98;
temperature, 52; minimum, 50; wind, calm;
weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.96; tempera-
ture, 54; minimum, 54; wind, calm; weather,
clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.12; tempera-
ture, 56; minimum, 54; wind, calm; rain,
40; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.00; tem-
perature, 54; minimum, 52; wind, 6 miles
W.; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.94; tempera-
ture, 52; minimum, 52; wind, calm; rain,
.04; weather, cloudy.

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tractor never fails to remove Warts,
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TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE.

(Furnished by the Stuart Robertson Co.,
Ltd., Successors to A. W. More & Co.,
Ltd., Mining Brokers, 28 Broad St.)

Toronto, Aug. 11.—The following were the
closing quotations on the Mining Exchange
to-day:

	Asked	Bid
Black Tail	4 1/2	2
Canadian G. F. S.	4 1/2	3 1/2
Cariboo McKinney	12	11
Cariboo Hydraulic	75	74
Centre Star	30	25
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	\$2.50	\$2.80
Deer Trail Coal	2 1/2	1 1/2
Dominion Coal	2	1
Fairview Corp.	5	4
Giant	4 1/2	3 1/2
Grassy Knoll	\$4.50	\$3.75
Iron Mask	6	5
Long Pine-Surprise Coal	2	1
Morning Glory	3	2
Morrison	4	3
Mountain Lion	28	20
North Star	14	11
Payne	20	17
Rambler Cariboo Coal	40	35
Republie	3	1
St. Elmo	48	40
Virtue	7	6
War Eagle Coal	14	11
White Bear	4 1/2	3 1/2
Windup	4	3
Wonderful	4	3

Rossland Sales Yesterday.
Mountain Lion—1,000 at 25.
Payne—1,000 at 16 1/2.
Sullivan—2,000 at 5.
American Boy—4,000 at 4 1/2.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound.

Ladies' Favorite.
Is the only safe, reliable
regulator on which woman
can depend. "In the hour
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Prepared in two degrees of
strength. No. 1 and No. 2.
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No. 2—For special cases—10 degrees
stronger—three dollars per box.
Ladies—ask your druggist for Cook's
Cotton Root Compound. Take no other
as all pills, mixtures and imitations are
dangerous. No. 1 and No. 2 are sold and
recommended by all druggists in the Do-
minion of Canada. Mailed to any address
on receipt of price and four 2-cent postage
stamps.
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No. 1 and No. 2 are sold in all Victoria
drug stores.

PROSPECTS GOOD AT NEW DIGGINGS

WHITE HORSE GOLD SATISFIES MINERS

Stampedeers, After Staking, Have Re-
turned for Provisions—Rich Strike
Reported Nearer Dawson.

The steamer Amur arrived from
Skagway last evening with her usual list
of passengers and northern freight.
The Amur brings news that the strike
of gold near White Horse is still proving
a very strong attraction, and is giving
excellent promise. H. Ellis, a late ar-
rival from the new fields, said in an in-
terview: "I left White Horse on July
13th, reached the mouth of Ruby at noon
on July 19th, and staked on both creeks
on the 20th. I panned on both creeks,
on the surface, the lowest I got being
three colors and the highest twenty col-
ors. The gold is very fine, and is mixed
with black and ruby sand. The wash is
almost as heavy as iron."

"Ruby is about four miles long, and
was staked above discovery to where the
creek becomes steep. Our party went
below discovery and staked from No. 8
to No. 15 below inclusive. There were
eight of us. I heard that on No. 17
above they got fifteen colors. Fourth of
July is a wide creek and has fine benches.
Scrub willows and fine saw logs are
found on the hill between the two creeks.
There is some timber on the creeks, but
it is scattered."

"I staked discovery on Twelfth of
July creek, which enters Fourth of July
at No. 38 above on the left bank, where
I got one-half to one cent, to the pan on
the surface. I have 1,000 feet, and my
partner, 500. All the colors I have men-
tioned I secured on top of the gravel.
We found so much black and ruby sand
that the diggings looked good to us."

"On the evening of July 20th Fourth
of July was staked from No. 49 above
to No. 20 below, but has probably been
staked up to No. 90 above, as a score of
men reached Ruby that night. Ruby is
all staked from No. 48 below to No. 19
above, where the grade becomes very
steep. We left the diggings on the morn-
ing of July 21st. Up to the night of the
20th the pups on Fourth of July had not
been touched. This creek has a number
of pups, while Ruby has none. I staked
No. 59 above on Fourth of July, and my
partner staked No. 60. The members of
our party drew lots for positions."

"Four miners were prospecting in the
50's above on Fourth of July. They
found good prospects. The creek is nar-
row there because of the big pup which
enters at No. 38 below. We panned and
got considerable colors. One pan had
twenty colors. The owners are preparing
to sink deeper. Tagish Charlie, who is
now known as Dawson Charlie, offered
Billy Wineshippe and Jack McMillan,
local owners of discovery on Ruby,
\$1,000 each for their interest in the
claim, but they turned him down."

"Everybody is short of grub. While
coming back our party saw a dead buck
floating on one of the lakes, and I swam
out and secured it. It was a feast to
us. Many stampedeers joined the rush
without blankets. I saw ten pounds of
flour sell for \$5 on the trail. In one
party a horse ate a whole sack of flour
before he was noticed."

"On our way back in three days we
met 143 people going into the diggings,
and saw two camps of Indians. Every-
body was anxious about the supply of
provisions at the diggings. We had to
tell them that three caribou was about
all that was being offered for sale when
we left."

"The country abounds in game, how-
ever. Bear are plentiful. Ptarmigan,
gophers and other small game are found
on all sides. We were unable to stay
more than a few days as we were out of
grub."

"It is almost pathetic to see some of
the stampedeers, stumbling along on the
way to the diggings, footsore and weary.
Often by the side of the trail you see a
man sitting patiently and snoring go-
phers. Nearly all the stampedeers have
water blisters on their feet. Several
parties have suffered from the heat,
who have a liking for bacon. We met
one woman on the trail. She was foot-
sore and weary. All along the trail you
find shovels."

"Tagish Charlie and Skookum Jim ran
their relatives into the country in a
bunch on horseback, and the whole outfit
staked. Many tried to follow them, but
got lost. A party of British Columbia
halfbreeds, however, tracked the Indians
to the new diggings, and made splendid
time. They proved wonderful trackers,
and followed the Indians over gravel
bars, etc. Others lost the track and wan-
dered around in the hills."

"One party of ten came into our camp
when we were on our way into the dig-
gings. They had horses and an Indian
guide. They tried to run the Kaska
guide, which the Indians call the Yaku-
tat, in a boat, and lost their outfit."

About twenty-five stampedeers had
arrived at White Horse from the new
strike before the Amur left. They all
staked claims. Everybody reported the
diggings to be rich. All will return as
soon as they can secure horses and grub.
Some made the round trip in ten days.
The trail is good. There was no trouble
getting through from White Horse."

News has been received in Dawson to
the effect that a new placer strike of
low-grade dirt had been made at the
headwaters of Kuskokwim in Alaska.
This river has been prospected more or
less the past three years, and good pros-
pects have always been discovered
there, but nothing rich has been found.
It is a well known fact that several of
the large streams flowing through Alaska
into the Behring Sea south of St.
Michael carry gold, and no doubt some
rich strike will be made on some of those
creeks sooner or later."

The highest round tower in Ireland is at
Kilnashbeg, 108 feet high. There are 45
of them in all.



The Sunlight Maids have washed the Sunlight way.

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A CONCRETE WALL FOR DALLAS ROAD

WAS RECOMMENDED BY STREETS COMMITTEE

At Meeting of Council Last Evening—
Paving By-Law Put Through
Preliminary Stages.

Although the city council is just now
employed in dealing with the latest de-
velopment in the Carnegie library ques-
tion, the matter did not come promi-
nently before the regular weekly meet-
ing last evening, the only reference to it
following the reading of a communica-
tion from Messrs. Hooper & Watkins.
The by-law providing for the pavement
of Yates, Langley and Bastion streets
was introduced and advanced through
the committee stage.

Mayor Deane, on behalf of the city of
Rossland, invited the Mayor and alder-
men to the summer carnival, to be held
at that place this month. The invitation
was accepted with thanks.

Messrs. Deane & Knight, of San Fran-
cisco, asked for particulars regarding
pipe to be purchased by the city. Referred
to the water commissioner.

R. Jackson applied for the removal or
trimming of trees on certain property on
Simcoe street, in order that the new
electric light installed on the corner of
that street and Carr street may be more
effective. Referred to city engineer for
report.

Geo. F. Waites, of Gotham street,
complained of the almost impassable
condition of that thoroughfare. He also
asked that the name of the street be
changed to either Bodwell or Putnam
streets. Referred to streets and street
naming committee.

Messrs. Hooper & Watkins communi-
cated a request to be allowed to again
call for tenders on the drawings first
submitted. Referred to the Carnegie
library committee.

The city clerk reported that the peti-
tions of M. Gowdy and other, P. Whit-
ting and others, and M. A. Morrison had
been referred to the city engineer. Re-
ceived and filed.

The finance committee and water com-
missioner recommended that Joseph Bull
be granted a further lease of land at
Elk Lake for a term of five years at
\$135 per annum, under conditions per-
taining at present. Adopted.

The finance committee recommended
the appropriation of \$3,096.33 for the
usual purpose. Adopted.

The streets, bridges and sewers com-
mittee reported as follows:

Your streets, bridges and sewers com-
mittee having considered the undermen-
tioned subjects, beg to recommend the following
resolutions to the council for adoption,
viz:

Resolved, That the establishment of a
Dominion Division for Good Roads, for
promoting the objects set forth by the sec-
retary of the Eastern Ontario Good Roads
Association, in his recent letter to this
council, is, in the opinion of this council,
highly desirable and urgent; that this
council heartily approves of the movement,
and would respectively press upon the at-
tention of the Hon. Sydney Fisher, min-
ister of agriculture, Ottawa, the importance
of providing such measure, as soon as
possible, as shall accomplish this end.

And that a copy of this resolution be
transmitted to the Hon. Mr. Fisher, and to
Mr. H. B. Cowan, secretary E. O. Good
Roads Association.

Resolved, That the city engineer be in-
structed to proceed to erect a concrete
wall along the foreshore, Dallas road,
easterly from Montreal street, to protect
the said road from encroachment by the
sea, this work to take the place of the rip-
rapping decided on July 4th last. Cost not
to exceed \$2,000.

Resolved, That the city engineer be in-
structed to lay a permanent sidewalk eight
feet wide, between Douglas and Blanchard
streets, on Fort street, south side, if funds
are available.

The intention of the council to remove any
rock from said street at present.

Re communication from the R. C. Land
& Investment Agency, desiring the remis-
sion of the sewer frontage tax on that
portion of the Fairfield estate, owned by
Messrs. John and J. A. Douglas. Re com-
mended that the agents be informed that
the council cannot see their way to grant
the request.

Re communication from Col. F. B. Greg-
ory, asking the council to undertake the
work of laying a wooden curb on Belleville
street, south side, from Menzies street
west. Recommended that the city engineer
be instructed to furnish the street lines
for this work, the work to be done by the
property owners interested, subject to the
supervision and approval of the city en-
gineer.

Re communication from A. W. Knight,
requesting the extension of the sewer on
the north side of Pandora avenue from
Cook street easterly. Recommended that
the work be done.

Also recommended that the city engineer
be instructed to prepare a plan showing
the alternative route via North Pembroke
street, proposed, to the agricultural
grounds, and report as to the cost of pro-
viding such alternative route.

Received and adopted.

Adm. Cameron's motion providing for
the introduction of a by-law in con-
nection with the paving of certain streets
mentioned in these columns last evening
was next brought up. Leave was granted
and the by-law was read a first and
second time, and advanced through com-
mittee. The council then adjourned.

COMMENCED EXERCISES.

Large Attendance at South Park School
Yesterday—The Prize List.

There was an attendance of about 200
at the commencement exercises held at
South Park school yesterday afternoon.
The majority of members of the school
board were present, and after prelimi-
nary exercises delivered brief addresses
of a complimentary and encouraging
character. Those who spoke were Chair-
man Drury, Trustees Mrs. Jenkins, and
Messrs. Jay, Haggitt, Boggs, Ross, J. H.
S. Sweet, and ex-Mayor Redfern.

Certificates for entrance to the H. H.
school were then presented to the 23
successful candidates, by Chairman
Drury, who, in doing so, drew attention
to the fact that South Park was beaten
by only one school in the province in
the number of students passed. That
was a school in Vancouver, which had
24 successful candidates.

Ethel May Green was presented with
the medal for being head of the school,
and rolls of honor for division I were
awarded as follows: Presidency, Ethel
May Green; deportment, Tillman Alfred
Briggs; regularity and punctuality,
Barbara Cameron Brown, Maud G.
Sullivan, Jas. Henry Henderson, Anna
Matilda Henderson.

At this juncture one of those on the
platform noted incidentally that two
pupils, Anna Matilda Anderson and Jas.
Henry Henderson had not been absent
or late from any of the sessions of
South Park school for the past six years
a really remarkable record.

Daisy Edna K. Jones (Div. II.) and
Geo. Martin (Div. IV.) were awarded
supplementary rolls of honor for regu-
larity.

Following is the prize list:

Division I.
Ethel May Green, 1st in proficiency, read-
ing, writing and hygiene.
Marie Louise Belger, 2nd in proficiency,
1st in grammar and spelling.

Flora Campbell Black, 3rd in proficiency,
1st in literature and geography.
Barbara Cameron Brown, 1st in writing.
John Woodward, 1st in Canadian history.
Thomas Hammond, 1st in arithmetic and
bookkeeping.

Mable Tryphena Miller, 1st in British
history.
Gladys Elsie Cruickshank, 1st in draw-
ing.

Mildred May Brown, 2nd in nature study
and hygiene.
Geraldine Starr, 2nd in literature.
Allen McLean Bennett, 2nd in geography
and drawing.

Reginald Nairne, 2nd in drawing and
spelling.
Lavinia May Kelly, arithmetic.
Susan Ellen Jorde, British history.
William Holland, geography.

Mildred A. E. Sweet, writing and spell-
ing.
Walter Clifton Cameron, arithmetic.
Julia Evelyn Jones, literature.

Bertram Geo. Robson, literature.
Alfred Cecil Rome, arithmetic.
Gwendolyn Jessie Newlands, grammar
and composition.

Tillman Alfred Briggs, arithmetic and
bookkeeping.

Conchita Adelaide Schoter, nature
study.
Clarice Gray, spelling.
John Raymond Emery, British history.

Among the musical features of the
programme was a violin solo by Justine
Gilbert. Master Alexander gave an ex-
cellent Scottish recitation. The exercises
were brought to a close by "God Save
the King."

ROSSLAND CAMP.

Shipments For Past Week Amounted to
Over Ten Thousand Tons.

The shipments for the first seven days
in August are a record for the camp.
says the Rossland World. "Never in its
past history has the camp put out more
than 10,000 tons, whereas the estimated
total for the week, closely approximating
the real figures of wet weight is upwards
of 10,500 tons. Of this total the Le Roi
contributed over 6,000 tons. The Le
Roi No. 2 concentrator is still progressing
rapidly, and the White Bear concentrator
is also nearing completion. The Giant
and Jumbo are both shipping well, and
the Centre Star and War Eagle sent
about their usual average of tonnage."
"It is learned that the Kootenay mine
is about to start vigorously on develop-
ment work in the lower levels of the
mine, which means immediate increase
in the working staff. In addition to this
the Nickel Plate has restarted and
another mine is added to those already
at work in the Great Western, where a
force of men is being put to work."

The shipments for the week follow:
Le Roi, 6,300 tons; Centre Star, 1,350
tons; War Eagle, 1,850 tons; Le Roi No.
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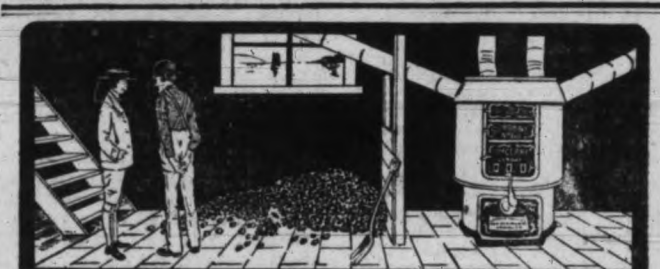
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The Provincial Voters' List will be closed on Friday, August 14th. Only three days left. See that your name is on applications taken at the following places:

Harvey Coombe, Court House.
 J. P. Wais, 57 North Park St.
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 T. G. Rayner, 58 Fernwood.
 Liberal Committee Rooms, Broad St.
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NOT SINCERE.

Sir William Van Horne is alleged to have said the grain of the Northwest will never be voluntarily hauled to the seaboard by an all-rail route. The prediction of Sir William is advanced as a reason why the Grand Trunk Pacific scheme should be condemned. The Colonist sets great store by the words of the C. P. R. magnate. But it seems to us that our contemporary is somewhat at fault in its conception of the geography of Eastern Canada. In its original arguments against the railway policy of the government it assumed that the Grand Trunk people already had direct connection with the fertile fields of the Northwest from the head-of-navigation in Ontario. Having been told that the company's lines extended no farther than North Bay, in Ontario, our contemporary has been obliged to create a new route by which the Grand Trunk will seek to evade feeding the proposed new main line. The company, it is claimed, will direct the traffic to gather in the Northwest to its old lines in Chicago, away down at the foot of Lake Michigan. How it will carry the stuff to Chicago we are not informed. Possibly running rights will be secured over some of the American lines, or perhaps the freight will be switched over the new line to a connecting point somewhere down in Ontario, there put upon the water and shipped back to Chicago. But the point of Sir William, endorsed by the Colonist, is that the grain must be carried by water, as being the more economical method, right from the point at which navigation begins down to the sea. Our contemporary's opinion is that the Grand Trunk Company is so wedded to its American system that it will commit all sorts of economic blunders, perform all kinds of transportation operations, in order to defeat the efforts of the government to retain for Canadian transportation the business that properly belongs to Canada.

We are really sorry to see that the Colonist has so little faith in the future of Canada that it feels compelled to adhere to its opinion that the new road will not pay, and that the greater part of it will be returned to the people. We suspect that the scepticism of our contemporary is to a large extent assumed. It is entirely out of place in and foreign to the boundless optimism of the West. In fact, we know it is borrowed from the utterances of the narrow minds of Eastern politicians, whose views are cramped and imaginations dwarfed by the

spect of at least one more term in opposition.

Sir William Van Horne is one of the most competent transportation authorities in the world. The success of the C. P. R. was to a great extent due to the comprehensiveness of his genius as a manager. But Sir William may not be entirely without prejudice on a matter of this kind. The G. T. R. and the C. P. R. are old rivals. Mr. Charles M. Hays also knows something about railways. He is willing to undertake the task of running the new line. He is in no fear of meeting all charges as they become due. He has ascertained that the water route is closed up for at least five months in the year, and perhaps he thinks he may be able to pick up a little business while the seal is on the waters of the mighty lakes. Possibly he believes that when the cost of repeated handlings is taken into account and coupled with the enormous engines and huge trains of the present day, which the new road will be specially designed to accommodate, the margin of difference between the cost of land and water transportation under such conditions as prevail in the East, will not be so very great. And again Mr. Hays may not be so pessimistic in disposition as a Tory out of office. We would not be at all surprised if he believes that the new territory to be opened up all along the line in Ontario, Quebec and New Brunswick will be worthy of cultivation. The manager of the Grand Trunk has travelled a good deal in Canada, and perhaps he laughs at the assumption of timid politicians that the country should remain forever locked up in obscurity, be given over to the welfare and comfort of wild animals, because there may be a certain element of hazard in appropriating the amount necessary to its development.

We doubt very much whether, after all, the representatives of the Conservative party talk as they feel upon this matter. They know in their hearts that the bargain is the best one ever made for the country. They feel that Canada is on the eve of an even greater period of prosperity that she has known during the past six years. They grieve because they cannot claim a part in the creation of that prosperity. They know only too well what the effect will be upon the fortunes of their poor, old crest-fallen party. Hence they have from the beginning of their career in opposition opposed every scheme they felt in their hearts would bring prosperity to Canada and honor and a long reign to the Liberal party. The G. T. R. will be built. It will be in reality an all-Canadian route. It will vastly enlarge the boundaries of the country. It will create a new British Columbia as well as a new Canada in the East. In a few years we shall all be as proud of it as we are to-day of the C. P. R.

IT IS WORTH NOTING.

That last year the United States' total imports were \$1,025,751,538, an increase of \$112,530,790 over the preceding year, or about 8.25 per cent. That Canada's imports increased, roughly speaking, 5 per cent., or nearly \$24,300,000. That the United States' total exports were \$1,392,231,637, an increase of but \$36,749,776, over the preceding year, or less than 3 per cent. That Canada's exports of home products were \$211,640,296, about \$18,000,000 over the preceding year, or nearly 10 per cent. That the United States export of manufactures increased only \$4,545,806, or a little over 1 per cent. That Canada's export of manufactures increased \$2,250,000, or nearly 10 per cent. A pretty good showing, isn't it? And yet there are people who never tire of crying that if Canada is to become a great and prosperous country we must imitate the Yankee policy. Canada is doing well; just give her people a chance.—Hamilton Times.

TRAINING TEACHERS.

There is no reason in the world that any sensible person can point out why young people who aspire to the teaching profession should not receive model or normal school training in Victoria. The powers that rule might object if it were intended to saddle the cost of the system proposed to be inaugurated, by the Victoria School Board upon the taxpayers of the province generally. But it is not suggested that anything of the kind should be done. The entire expense of the institution will be borne locally, ultimately by the class whose personal convenience, comfort and purse are to receive the maximum of consideration. We do not believe for a moment that the provincial authorities will refuse to sanction the scheme. They may consider themselves bound around by certain rules and regulations framed for the purpose of making the Provincial Normal School in all respects a success. But the pedagogic eye is not so completely blinded by the professional note as not to see that our school system is maintained simply and solely to provide education for the people, to fit future citizens for the active duties of life, at the minimum of cost. The health and vigor of particular institutions is an entirely subsidiary matter. If the department can be induced to stamp the proposal with its approval and to place the seal of fitness upon possible graduates, it is obvious that a considerable burden would be lifted from many young and many-aged shoulders at the period of life when they are least able to carry such loads. British Columbia is a big province. Our educational

authorities are making a huge mistake if they suppose, now that the systematic, scientific training of teachers has been commenced, that the work can be confined exclusively to one centre. We believe the idea of centralization was once dominant in other provinces. It is not now.

The champion fish story has just appeared from the press. Victoria trollers should read it and take note. The Associated Press reporters are sometimes very chary with their news, but they never tell lies. Therefore the following is authentic: Lucien P. Wagner, a business man of Penn Yan, New York, was drowned in Koola lake last week by a monster lake trout. Wagner and Jerome Lee were trouting, the latter rowing, when Wagner hooked the fish. Lee went to his assistance, but before he could seize the line Wagner was dragged head first out of the boat. The line became entangled about Wagner, and, although he struggled desperately, he was pulled under the water and did not rise again. Moral: Always fish for salmon with a free line. If a trout is capable of such work there is scarcely any limit to the power of a lively salmon, with a tail of the capacity of the screw of a turbine steamer.

There was a joke perpetrated last night when the visiting British pressmen were taken to the city hall for greater wisdom at her prolific fountain, the council board. It is not quite clear whether the joke was on the audience or on the newspaper men. The gentlemen of the press are travelling for the purpose of gathering inspiration, but they are not likely to turn aside from any entertainment that may arise in a providential way.

The Nelson Economist says: "Business in Nelson is satisfactory in all lines, and the long-hoped for revival has reached us at last. All that is wanted now to fill our cup of happiness to overflowing is a sound government." Cheer up. The term of the present government is nearly up. We shall have a Liberal government, which is synonymous with sound government, shortly after October 1st.

Why doesn't the Colonist publish the objections of a few prominent British Columbians to the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific? Surely such a series of convincing articles as it has published has made some converts.

THE WOMAN AND THE SKIRT.

Charles Line.

I've wondered time and time again
 Why ladies fair and grand
 Will wear upon the streets a train
 To gather dust and sand.
 It may be stylish, but not neat.
 To tramp one's dress beneath the feet;
 And to prevent its trailing low
 They grab it in their hands, you know.
 Oh, what an awful show!

I've often wondered how 'twould seem
 Should men such tricks perform
 In wading 'cross a muddy stream
 Or walking in the storm;
 If they should haul and pull and tear
 And lift their trousers in the air;
 If they should take a yard or so
 And sling it over their arm, you know,
 Oh, what an awful show!

I've wondered what the microbes think
 When they are gathered in
 With silks and satins, white and pink,
 And made to twirl and spin.
 Do they cry out in merry glee:
 "What giddy fools these mortals be;
 Not long with health their cheeks shall glow,
 For soon we'll strike the fatal blow,
 Oh, what an awful show!"

BOTANICAL INQUIRY.

Tit-Bits.

A small parishioner in Aberdeen brought a basket of strawberries to the minister very early on Monday morning.
 "Thank you, my little girl," he said; "they are very beautiful. But I hope you didn't gather them yesterday, when it was the Sabbath day?"
 "No, sir," replied the child; "I picked them this morning. But they were growing all yesterday."

A YELLOW CURSE.

Chicago Chronicle.

Yellow journalism leads its dupes to the jail, the penitentiary and the gallows, and then takes leave of them while it discusses in juvenile style some idiotic thesis which is supposed to bewilder and impress the groundlings while it deceives the authorities. Yellow journalism stirs up hate, nourishes malice, promotes strife, stimulates mobs and encourages crime, but when the indelible offence is committed it is found feebly, my little girl, he said; "they are very beautiful. But I hope you didn't gather them yesterday, when it was the Sabbath day?"
 "No, sir," replied the child; "I picked them this morning. But they were growing all yesterday."

Yellow journalism, therefore, is cowardly as well as stupid and criminal. Appealing only to the weak-minded, the idle and the depraved, it is dangerous chiefly for that reason.

THEY ARE VERY ANXIOUS.

Hamilton Times.

From Washington comes another yarn about when the High Joint Commission will meet, and what it is likely to do. It strikes us that Washington is a good deal more anxious about reciprocity than when it snubbed Sir John Thompson and his fellows. We're not worrying.

THE LITTLE GIRL'S VERSION.

Buffalo News.

A little girl in Great Bend surprised her parents a few nights ago when she was asked to repeat the 23rd Psalm. The little one started off bravely: "The Lord is my shepherd—And He lost His sheep and don't know where to find them."

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THE CARNEGIE LIBRARY.

To the Editor:—Are we really to believe, as reported in this morning's paper, that such a responsible body as our city council are seriously considering if they can legally break the conditions under which we were induced to submit plans for the above? I don't know whether there is any legal hope that they can wriggle out of, but the moral obligation is clear enough for me, and I believe, for any of these gentlemen if they were dealing with their own private affairs.

What could be clearer than the following extract from the conditions: "Provided, however, that if on tenders being called for the construction of the work in accordance therewith (the plans considered best by the judges), it shall be found that no responsible tender is within the sum of \$45,000, then the plan shall be discarded and the architect thereof shall have no claim upon the council for and in respect of such plans, specifications, or at all."

It is the general opinion of the contractors who figured on the plans, some of whom did not think it worth putting in tenders, that the building was worth from \$50,000 up. And yet, strange to say, the council seem to hesitate what they ought to do.

Of course we all know too well that tendering twice-days is almost as uncertain as an election or a horse race, but I know this, sir, speaking for myself, that I made it my special study to comply with every condition of the competition, as I believe I alone did, and on that ground should have been placed first. At any rate, Mr. Hooper having had his chance, I only ask for a similar privilege, as I have made full detailed estimates of my plans, and checked and re-checked them over, and feel satisfied that they can be carried out for the money which would give the city better value, as I include a lecture theatre, as well as the same area of library accommodation. This will not entail any expense to the city, but will give me an opportunity of utilizing the time that is now being wasted in trying to "beat the devil round the stump."

W. RIDGWAY-WILSON.

Victoria, B. C., August 11th, 1903.

REGULATING IN IGNORANCE.

To the Editor:—The new regulations for rural schools, published in the Times, go far to prove the truth of Tolstoy's dictum "that human liberty was being crushed out by human law." Indeed, they go far to make one doubt the sanity of their author. It is first stipulated that all children of school age shall attend school, and then the impossible condition is added that they shall attend the school situated in the district in which their parents reside.

Now, in pioneer days, when school districts were first formed, districts were made and schools built to accommodate very scattered settlements, with a sublime indifference to the future. Let me give a concrete example of what the new regulations will accomplish if carried out to the letter. Maple Bay school, one of the oldest schools in the province, is in a flourishing condition to-day with 33 on the roll, and which has kept its doors open continuously since its commencement, will have to close up, while many children will be deprived of an education, because no school is within reasonable distance of their homes. When Maple Bay was incorporated as a school district, two half-sections were reserved for it, sections (7) and (8), range (1), Comstock district, and the school built on what is practically the district line between Maple Bay and Somerses districts. It takes in the most of Comstock district, except what lies beyond the Quamechan mountains, which is now included in Crofton. It attended to the education of the earlier generation of Somerses as well as Maple Bay, and served its purpose well, no doubt. Some eighteen years ago Somerses found its strength and sought incorporation as a school district. Somerses is a large district, twenty sections long by eight ranges wide, five miles square, but this was not sufficient for the greedy eye of the incorporators, so they included a number of sections of Quamechan district, which should now be included in Duncan. The motive was plain enough. With an utter disregard for development, they wished to place the school as near themselves as possible, and to do so it was required to put the school as near the south boundary as possible, to be precise, in section three. So, to make the district look better on paper, those sections in Quamechan were included, while the fam-

lies living to the north and east, in Somerses district proper, could do what they pleased. They were forced as their families grew up to send them to a school over which they had no control, although, fortunately, Maple Bay school is a model in many respects and does the trustees all honor. Matters, however, have turned out as well as if all had had a voice in the school, and perhaps better, and with good trustees and competent teacher the education of the children has been very satisfactory. Now we are to be shut out of even this privilege, and the younger children to forfeit their advantage of school altogether, because Somerses school is too far to walk to, while Maple Bay has to go out of business.

I have no doubt this is only an example of what obtains throughout the province, and if those responsible for the promulgation of the new rules had first set about a readjustment of the boundaries of the old school districts they would have gained the approval of the public instead of showing themselves incapable by the issuing of regulations impossible of execution.

WILLIAM HERD,
 Somerses, Aug. 10th, 1903.

CONSERVATIVES DESPERATE.

To the Editor:—I beg to publicly protest at the action of the Attorney-General, Mr. McPhillips, when he, on the 5th inst., at Claxton, advised the electorate on the wharf there, from the bridge of the steamers Tees, in a loud voice, "to be sure and only vote for their own countrymen." I have good reason to believe that this will be the election cry of some of his Conservative followers. While not denying that I have not been born in Canada, I certainly claim the right of Canadian citizenship, residing in Canada continuously for over twenty years, during sixteen of which I have resided in British Columbia. My record for that length of time is well known in this district. Such expressions on a public platform by one of the leaders of the Conservative party is, to say the least, very ill advised, and will not fail to come back on them on the 31st of October as a boomerang.

PETER HERMAN,
 Liberal Candidate,
 Port Essington, B. C., Aug. 7th, 1903.

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AN EXCITING GAME TO-MORROW AFTERNOON

The Redoubtable James Holmes to Twirl
for Angeles Nine, While Emerson
Will Pitch for Locals.

The many admirers of "Jimmy" Holmes will again have an opportunity of seeing him pitch ball on Wednesday, when he will be in the box for Port Angeles nine against his old team mates. The Angeles nine with Holmes pitching for them have been playing splendid ball of late. Their game against Everett at Everett was one of the finest games fought in the Northwest, being played in the remarkably fast time of 47 minutes. But one error was made in the game, and that one by Angeles in the ninth inning, the only run of the game being scored by Everett on the error. Angeles losing the game 1 to 0. Victoria has already been defeated in one game by Angeles and Angeles once by Victoria, so with Holmes in the box the players from across the straits look forward to winning the odd game. It is quite likely that Harrison, another old Victoria player, will play in left field for the visitors. Harrison played that position in their game at Everett.

This game, with Holmes and Emerson on the slab, will no doubt be one of the best exhibitions seen here this year, the rivalry between the teams being very keen, especially as the visitors have strengthened up their team, with ex-members of the Victoria. The local nine will have their strongest team in the field and are determined to win. Port Angeles will have a large crowd of rosters present, an excursion having been arranged from their town to accompany the ball team, so both will have a large following in the stand, and their should be all kinds of noise and rooting to cheer the players on to their very best. The game will be called at 5 o'clock so as to enable the excursionists to catch the return boat at 7.30 o'clock.

DUGDALE WANTS THEM

How Victoria players are fated on the other side was plainly shown yesterday by the following telegram:

Western Union Tel. Co.,
Seattle, Aug. 10th, 1903.

E. Emerson:
Send me your terms at once. Have Chase do likewise. Answer.

D. E. DUGDALE.

In answer thereto the following reply was sent:

Victoria, Aug. 10th, 1903.

D. E. Dugdale:
Thanks for offer. Victoria good enough for us.

EMERSON AND CHASE.

This incident goes to show that the managers of the league on the Coast have their eyes on the Victoria lads and consider local players sufficiently good for their teams. It also serves to show that the players are loyal to the local club, there being no doubt that Dugdale would have offered both players splendid salaries to join his forces. This is not the first time that offers have been made to local players. Emerson having received an offer from Park Wilson, of the rival Seattle league team. Emerson, Chase and Burns were also offered positions on the Vancouver team when the Victorians played there recently. Rithet has also had offers made to him during the season. This goes to show that managers of outside teams are not slow to realize that Victoria has among its players several men who can hold their own in any company. True, there have been poor games played on the local grounds, but the reason that visiting teams give for their poor playing here is that the Victoria diamond being turf is so much faster than the clay or skin diamonds that they are accustomed to, that they are completely at sea when they play on the local diamond. Next season, it would be advisable to replace the turf diamond with a clay one, thus basing visiting teams an even chance as far as field goes. Victoria has the only turf diamond in the Northwest, and the local players are just as badly handicapped when they play away from home on the clay diamonds.

INTERMEDIATE STANDING.

As a result of Saturday's game the Hints have won the intermediate championship, having played through the league with only one defeat, having been beaten by the Fernwoods—the nine they defeated by one run on Saturday. The order of the other teams in the league is expected to be as follows: Fernwoods, Esquimaux and Capitals. The standing of the league follows:

Played.	Won.	Lost.	To Play.	Pts.
Hintsides	6	5	1	0
Fernwoods	5	3	2	1
Esquimaux	5	1	4	1
Capitals	4	1	3	2

LAWN TENNIS.

TACOMA TOURNAMENT.

The thirteenth annual tennis tournament for the Pacific Northwest championship will be held here this week, commencing on Wednesday. On Wednesday

only such preliminary matches will be played as fall to the local players and any visitors who happen to be in town, and the play will begin in earnest on Thursday morning. This arrangement is made so as not to conflict with the Seattle tournament, now in progress, the finals of which will be played Wednesday.

A large entry list is expected from the players from across the line and Seattle now engaged in that tournament. This includes Freeman, of California, Powell and the Gowers and other strong players from Victoria, and also the best players of Vancouver, B. C., which place has not been represented at Tacoma for some time.

Major Bethel and Walter A. Goss, of Portland, have already entered, and a large entry list from all over the state is looked for. Special interest is attracted to the ladies' matches by the entry of Miss Coffin, of New York.

"The courts in Tacoma are in very fine shape, and will be very fast and true. The playing surface is the best and ground is in apple pie order, and the members of the ladies' club are planning many interesting entertainments for the week. The managers look for a record-breaking meeting."

TACOMA LEDGER.

As mentioned yesterday, a number of Victorians are competing in the tennis at Seattle. Besides Messrs. Pooley, Kowell, Goward and others, several lady players of this city, including Mrs. Burton and Mrs. Langley, are taking part.

THE KENNEL.

COWICHAN'S SHOW.

The dog show held at Duncannan some time ago, in which Victoria-fanciers competed successfully, is being described by the special correspondent of "Western Field," a sporting magazine issued at San Francisco: "Of course, the dog show was the main attraction, and many flattering remarks on the high quality of the dogs on exhibition were heard on all sides. Frank Turner, of Victoria, judged all classes, and gave the very best of satisfaction. Mr. Turner is probably the oldest handler and exhibitor out here, and has only lately been induced to judge at public shows. It is to be hoped he will continue in the good work, as from his practical experience he is in a position to judge the various breeds correctly. The total number of entries at the show would probably be 65, and 35 of these hailed from Victoria, the home of probably more high class winning dogs than any other city in the West. English setters and cocker spaniels were the big entries, with keen competition in puppy and open classes. In English setters T. P. McCannell sprang rather a surprise on the various exhibitors by bringing to the front a very fine English setter puppy, Count Rego, of his own breeding by Arthur Priest Albert Rosalind. The puppy is but nine months old, a beautiful orange belton, with fine silky coat, elegant head, long, square muzzle, correct skull, well placed ears, long, lean neck, correctly placed on good shoulders, well sprung ribs, good stern, deep chest, and elegant legs and feet. Judge Turner said this was, in his opinion, the best English setter ever shown on the Coast, and that he would best every dog on the Coast next spring, when fully developed. In open classes he defeated Rino Rock (a very fine setter and a winner for the past two years, but now showing signs of age), General Roberts (a dog that has been placed at all the Coast shows for the past three years), and Victor L. (a well known winner at San Francisco, Portland, Seattle and Victoria).

"Cocker spaniels the competition was very close and keen, the three Victoria exhibitors, including all other competitors' dogs, and dividing the prize pretty evenly between them. C. A. Goodwin's Little Berritt, sister to Pinneria, Victoria, the phenomenal winner of this spring's shows, getting the special for best cocker in the show.

"Fox terriers brought out reminiscence, a beautiful animal owned by Mrs. J. J. Bostock, of Victoria, and winner of Warrick's and all terrier specials at the last Victoria dog show. She won first in open and special for best fox terrier, and special for best dog in the show, any breed.

"In Irish water spaniels, Mr. Dunn, of Victoria, carried all before him, with his Tim P. and Murphy, both superior animals and deserving of their placing.

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THE CANADIAN PACIFIC.

Report for the Fiscal Year—Directors Increased.

Montreal, Aug. 10.—At the meeting of the directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to-day, a dividend of 2 per cent, on the preference stock for the half year ended June 30th last was declared. A dividend of 4 per cent, for the same period was also declared on the common stock.

The reports for the fiscal year to June 30th last were: Gross earnings, \$43,107,373; working expenses, \$28,120,527; net earnings, \$15,986,845; income from other sources, \$1,280,812; total net income, \$17,267,657; less fixed charges, \$7,062,107; less amount applied against ocean steamships, \$150,000; net revenue available for dividends, \$9,055,550. After paying all dividends declared, the surplus for the year carried forward is \$3,973,000.

The number of directors is to be increased by five at the annual meeting, those to be added being: Clarence W. Mackay, of New York; D. McNeil, general manager of the company; Senator Drummond, Senator Mackay and R. G. Reid, all of Montreal.

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CANNERY CATCH.

The steamer *Tees* arrived last night from the north. She had a very large number of passengers, most of whom left the steamer at Vancouver.

The *Tees* brought an estimate of the salmon pack on the Skeena for this season. Up to Friday there were put up at the Skeena river canneries the following number of cases: Oceanic, 13,000; British-American, 11,000; Claxton, 10,000; Balmoral, 9,000; Inverness, 8,000; Northman, 8,000; Cunningham's, 8,000; Heron, 8,000; Carlisle, 5,000; Cisslar, 1,700. There had been about 92,000 cases put up on the Skeena. At Rivers Inlet the showing for the various canneries was better. The number of cases put up by the canneries there up to the sailing of the *Tees* was: Wadhams, 24,000; Rivers Inlet, 17,500; Brunswick, 19,400; Good Hope, 18,000. The canneries on the Naas had put up as follows: Mill Bay, 3,000 cases; Naas Harbor, 3,300; and Pacific Northern, 2,000. At Namu the Namu cannery had 3,000 and Kemsquelt 6,000. At Lowe Inlet the cannery had 3,000. At Alert Bay there was a small pack.

AGAIN LIBERATED.

The steamer *Clavering*, which was libelled by tugs which claim to have dragged her off the rock at Honolulu, is now libelled by Capt. John C. Torenson, who claims \$5,000 for his services as pilot of the steamer during the time when she lay in distress off the harbor. Capt. Torenson's suit is brought under a United States federal statute providing for special compensation to pilots who board vessels at time of peril or distress. The libel sets forth that Torenson boarded the vessel when she was aground, and at the request of her captain went ashore and reported her condition. Later he returned, when the vessel was fast on the reef and in a condition of peril, and was requested to board her and take charge of her during the operations to save her. These operations required special skill as a navigator in these waters, says the libellant, and for his special services he demands the payment of \$5,000.

SHIP'S WRECKAGE.

Lodged against the east side of the wharf at Port Casey, near Port Townsend, is a mass of drift, brought thither by the swift current which prevails at that point. Floating with the drift, half hidden by small driftwood and marine growth, are several of the massive timbers which once were a part of the framework of the old North Pacific. The timbers were pretty well battered, and the ragged ends of a couple of them indicated that they had been subjected to great pressure in the dissolution of the wreck, and had broken under the strain. The walking beam has been recognized among the debris, and several other important parts of the once "Queen of the Sound" have been identified by several waterfront men.

REINSURANCE RATES.

The rate of reinsurance on the ship *Helen Brewer* was advanced on Saturday to 65 per cent, and confidence in the vessel's safety is beginning to shake. She is now out 155 days from Sourabaya for Delaware Breakwater. Several times the rate has dropped, but now that it has passed 50 per cent, a rapid rise is looked for. The *Helen Brewer* is a steel ship of 1,580 tons register. She was built in 1891 at Port Glasgow. She sailed under the Hawaiian flag until the annexation of the Territory gave her the right to fly the Stars and Stripes. The rate of the Milton Park remains at 50 per cent.

MARINE NOTES.

The British ship *Ardencraig*, Capt. Docherty, arrived in Portland on Saturday. About 500 tons of her cargo had been lighter at Astoria, and she experienced no difficulty in travelling up the river. Her total cargo consists of 3,200 tons of cement, pig iron, steel beams and coke.

The tag *Sadie* has returned from the Skeena river after two months spent on work for the Oceanic Canning Company. When the *Sadie* left the salmon run was again light, the increased run proving a very short one, and the season has been a disappointing one for the cannermen.

The *Leicester Castle*, a British ship, has arrived at the Royal Roads from Liverpool. This is the ship upon which the oft-told tale of mutiny occurred last year. The *Leicester Castle* had an uneventful voyage from Liverpool.

The tug *Edith*, which came down from the canneries about three weeks ago, left last night for Rivers Inlet.

The Norwegian steamship *Tellis*, which up to the time of the trouble in

the Vancouver Island coal mines carried coal from them to San Francisco, arrived in the latter city from Newcastle, Australia, last week with 3,187 tons of coal.

The Cottage City on her way from the north called at the outer wharf this morning. About twelve passengers landed from her here.

The tug *Surprise* brought a scow load of lumber and shingles from Vancouver last evening.

The Empress of India arrived at Yokohama at 9:30 a. m. yesterday from Victoria.

The Swedish bark *Thessalus*, lying in the Royal Roads awaiting a charter, The Princess Victoria was hailed out last evening on Bullen's marine ways.

The Kaga Maru is expected from the Orient about 6 o'clock this evening.

The *Amur* left last night for the north.

CONDEMNATION.

Local Lodges, A. O. U. W., Against Increase in Assessment—Special Session of Grand Lodge.

The action of the Supreme Lodge, A. O. U. W., in increasing the assessment rates on members over 55 years of age has become a burning question among British Columbia A. O. U. W. lodges. It has been considered by all the local lodges—Western Star, Victoria lodge, Vancouver lodge and Banner lodge—and condemned by each. The latter lodge held its meeting last night with the largest attendance in months. Opinions of unqualified disapproval of the increase in rates were expressed.

As far as has been heard up to the present, every lodge in the province has condemned the increase in assessments upon the older members. Very few local A. O. U. W. members can be found to favor the new enactment. This of course means that either the Supreme Lodge will have to withdraw the increase in assessments, which is highly improbable, or that the British Columbia lodges must sever their connection with the Supreme Lodge. From present indications it appears probable the latter step will be taken and that the society of this province will be operated independently.

In order to consider the question in all its phases and do something either one way or the other a special meeting of the Grand Lodge has been called for the 14th of September. Delegates will attend from all the lodges of the province, with instructions from each association as to what course to pursue. This, of course, means that if all lodges are against the Supreme body the Grand Lodge will be the same.

While the majority of members object to be subjected to the new enactment, a great many acknowledge that the step taken by the Supreme Lodge was necessary when the death rate in Southern California and other parts is considered. It is, it is said, had been made slightly worse by carelessness in the medical examination of candidates, with the result that the death rate among A. O. U. W. members in certain sections has been increasing alarmingly. The same conditions, it is pointed out, do not prevail in British Columbia, and therefore the lodges of this province should not be made to bear the burden caused by others.

A HAPPY MAN.

Is Mr. Thomas McMahassan, of North Pelham, who was cured of muscular rheumatism and sciatica by Pabon's Nervine, the most powerful reliever of pain in the world. "I suffered all manner of pain for years," he writes, "and Nervine is the only remedy that did me any good. I can heartily recommend Nervine for all forms of Rheumatism. It goes to the very core of the pain and brings lasting relief. Let every sufferer from lame back, aching joints and swollen limbs try Nervine." It's sure to cure and costs but 25c. for a large bottle at all drug stores.

SAND BRICKS.

In the manufacture of sand bricks, for which a French patent is issued, the materials used are sand, lime, clay, loam, and alkali. The sand must be clean and gritty, neither too fine nor too coarse, just the sort, indeed, which makes the best lime mortar. The process is long but simple, and the bricks are finally formed by pressure. The press makes five bricks at a time, and the process takes nine seconds, which means 2,000 bricks per hour. The hardening is done by superheated steam, which makes them ready for use in six hours. They are thus more speedily made than clay bricks, and in sand districts (two alone, of course, they could be profitably made) the cost would come out about the same. In appearance, durability, and hygienic properties, however, they are vastly superior to the brick of commerce.—Exchange.

Free tickets to theatres, art galleries and museums are to be given to working people by the Berlin Society of the Encouragement of Art Among the Working Classes.

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Lewis Iselin, a member of the New York family of that name, and a nephew of C. Oliver Iselin, managing owner of the "cup of the West," is on the Sound. Mr. Iselin is a firm believer in the ability of his renowned kinsman and the New York Yacht Club to retain the cup in America for another twelve months at least. He admires also the pluck which Sir Thomas Lipton displays in trying to win the trophy. The approaching race, Mr. Iselin says, will be attended with even greater excitement and enthusiasm than that ever before.

J. E. Stillwell, of England, is among those registered at the Dominion hotel. Mr. Stillwell came to this country for the first time a few months ago, and in visiting the "Cowichan valley country" was so favorably impressed with that district that he decided to settle down on Vancouver Island. With this in view, he purchased a farm in that section and is now awaiting the arrival of his people from the Old Country before taking up his residence here permanently.

F. A. Clougher and son, of London, Eng., are among the guests at the Dominion hotel. They will spend some days here, and intend taking in all the sights. This morning they took the trip up the Gorge, and this afternoon are taking a run on the trolley.

C. S. Fee, of St. Paul, general passenger agent of the Northern Pacific railroad, and A. D. Charlton, of Portland, assistant general passenger agent of the same line, were in the city the beginning of the week inspecting the local office.

Robt. B. Hosket, general organizer of the Hotel and Restaurant Employees' International Alliance, with headquarters at Seattle, is in the city. He will attempt to organize hotel employees here.

Prof. Henry Strauss, the well known pianist, who has been making a tour of the Pacific coast, has returned and intends re-opening classes.

C. N. Tubman, of Shawanigan; D. L. Clause, of Portland, Ore.; and T. D. Conway, of Chemung, are among those staying at the Victoria.

Miss K. Anderson, of Niagara Falls, Ont., and Miss Jessie McGee, of Vancouver, are visiting the Misses Gunnason, of Fourth street.

Peter Ryan, registrar of Toronto, and father-in-law of E. W. Pratt, formerly of this city, was in Victoria on a brief visit yesterday.

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